

TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY



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June 10, 2003

Ms. Robin Norton
Consultant to Lightyear Communications, Inc.
Technologies Management, Inc.
210 N. Park Avenue
Winter Park, FL 32789

RE: Tennessee Regulatory Authority Docket No. 03-00368

Dear Ms. Norton:

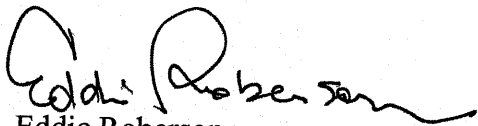
A Petition was filed with the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("TRA" or "the Authority") by Lightyear Communications, Inc. ("Lightyear") for approval of a partial customer base transfer to Lightyear from The Free Network, LLC ("TFN") on May 29, 2003. In order to complete the processing of the Petition, the Authority requests the following information regarding the partial customer base transfer:

- 1) What has been the business relationship between Lightyear and TFN in Tennessee prior to this transaction/transfer?
- 2) Is Lightyear aware that TFN's Tennessee certification was cancelled in January, 2002?
- 3) Has Lightyear been providing TFN with wholesale services that it knows TFN to be reselling in Tennessee since January, 2002?
- 4) Are all of TFN's Tennessee customers to be transferred to Lightyear? If not, who will provide service to any remaining TFN customers in the future?
- 5) What is the nature of the partnership between Lightyear and TFN that is described in the customer notification letter?
- 6) After customers have been transferred to Lightyear, will those customers still have any dealings with TFN?
- 7) After the transfer is completed, will Lightyear still have a business relationship with TFN?
- 8) Does TFN plan to continue to resell telecommunications services in Tennessee?

9) In what way will the partnership described in the letter "expand on... available services"? What new services will TFN customers have available to them after the transfer?

Please submit the requested information by June 16, 2003. If you have any questions, please contact Rosie Naccarato at 615-741-2904 ext. 156 or Kim Beals at 615-741-2904 ext. 168.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Eddie Roberson". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "E" and a long, sweeping underline.

Eddie Roberson
Chief, Consumer Services Division

c. Aster Adams, Kim Beals, Rosie Naccarato, EAD File (Docket # 03-00368), Docket File (Docket # 03-00368)